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Request for Continued Examination

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
AND
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT C**

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APPLICANT: Stefan PFAB DOCKET NO: P00,0365-0
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Dear Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Final Office Action, mailed April 4, 2003,
and the Decision by the Board of Appeals mailed October 28, 2004.

In response, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which
begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.